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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Tetsujiro Kondo et al.

Serial No. : 09/700,140

For : PICTURE PROVIDING APPARATUS AND PROVIDING METHOD THEREFOR, PICTURE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND PROCESSING METHOD THEREFOR, AND MEMORY MEDIUM

Filed : February 5, 2001

Examiner : Jason T. Whipkey

Art Unit : 2622

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.
 The fee has been calculated as shown below.
 This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	14	Minus	20	x	\$50 (25)	= \$0.00
Independent claims	8	Minus	8	x	\$200 (100)	= \$0.00
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$0.00

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This response is being filed within the month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a -month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$ is attached, which covers the cost of the additional claims petition for extension of time.

Please charge any additional fees incurred by reason of this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

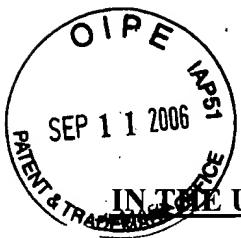
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 11, 2006 having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on October 11, 2006, please consider the following remarks.